Print this zine

I had a lot of fun making this. I hope you have lots of fun making your own zines and filling them with cool stuff.

Here's a link if you'd like to print this zine:

archive.org/details/The-Zine-Zine

This work is marked CC0 1.0 Universal. To view a copy of this mark, visit creativecommons.org/publicdomain/zero/1.0

Draw a nice picture here.
It's only paper after all.

Digital zine template

You can find a template for making your own zines below. Copy the file (File>Make a Copy) then modify your copy to your heart's content!

Shortened link:
bit.ly/3X0uDZ9

Long link:
docs.google.com/drawings/d/1ryaBIHsebAAereAybdkZPzSwlouyLIKeduJmcL6SuSM

Finishing touches

Flip through the pages of your new zine a bit and adjust your folds as needed.

What NOT to do

Do NOT try to trim your zine to make the edges even. This will cause it to fall apart or cut content off. Also, zines are meant to be a little rough, embrace it!

Step 2: cut

Cut along this dashed line, through both layers of paper.

		BACK COVER	PAGE 2
FRONT COVER	PAGE 1		
LEFT		RIGHT	

Step 3: form

Fully unfold the paper, then fold **hotdog** style. Next, squish the two uncut sides together like in the diagram. Then just flip the cover to be the cover, and voilà! A zine!

This is the back cover

Do feel free to keep this zine, or give it away, or move it, or throw it away, or light it on fire, or anything else.

I certainly can't stop you.

FREE!

THE ZINE ZINE

This zine will teach you how to make a zine.

What's a zine?

A *zine* (rhymes with *queen*) is a kind of booklet that anyone with some paper and scissors can make. Anything can go in a zine. Nobody can stop you.

Read on to learn how to make your very own zine.

Layout of a zine

This diagram shows how your paper will map to the finished zine. You can fold or draw these guidelines if you'd like. Especially helpful for handmade zines.

							LEFT
			RIGHT			PAGE 5	PAGE 4
			PAGE 6	PAGE 3			
		BACK COVER	PAGE 2	PAGE 3			
PAGE 1	FRONT COVER						
LEFT	RIGHT			LEFT	RIGHT		

If you're holding a completed zine you can unfold it to help you.

Step 1: fold

Fold back and forth a few times along the solid lines so it's easier to form the pages of your zine later. Fully unfold then do a **hamburger** style fold.

		BACK COVER	PAGE 2
FRONT COVER	PAGE 1		
LEFT		RIGHT	